

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings of claims in the application:

LISTING OF CLAIMS:

1. (original) Device (1) for anchoring on a wall (2) for the securement of elements of any type, preferably subject to tension, such as shrouds, rigging, cable,

characterized in that the device is present in the form of two plates (3, 4) secured to each other, one (3) of these plates (3, 4), generally adapted to be applied against the internal surface of a wall (2), being secured to a socket (5) adapted to be positioned facing a hole of said wall (2), said socket (5) containing a bundle (6) of flexible fibers flared at one end to form at least one layer (6A) gripped between the two plates (3, 4), the bundle (6) of fibers projecting outside the socket (5) to serve as the anchoring point for an element of any type connected to the bundle (6).

2. (original) Anchoring device (1) according to claim 1, characterized in that the plates (3, 4) and the layer (6A) of fibers are secured together by a binder (7) such as a polymerizable resin.

3. (currently amended) Anchoring device (1) according to ~~one of claims 1 and 2~~ claim 1,

characterized in that the socket (5) and the plate (3) for application against the wall with which the socket (5) is connected, are made in a single piece.

4. (currently amended) Anchoring device (1) according to ~~one of claims 1 to 3~~ claim 1,

characterized in that it is provided, between the plates (3 and 4), with a supplemental plate (11), the flared fibers of the bundle of fibers extending over a surface of said intermediate plate before being pushed back against the other surface of said plate.

5. (currently amended) Anchoring device (1) according to ~~one of claims 1 to 4~~ claim 1,

characterized in that the portion of the bundle (6) passing through the socket (5) is held within a sleeve (8), preferably thermo-shrinkable.

6. (currently amended) Anchoring device (1) according to ~~one of claims 1 to 5~~ claim 1,

characterized in that the projecting portion (6B) of the bundle (6) of fibers outside the socket (5) has the shape of a loop.

7. (currently amended) Anchoring device (1) according to ~~one of claims 1 to 6~~ claim 1,

characterized in that the socket (5) is threaded within a hole in said wall (2) provided with a female socket (10) to render the device easily movable.

8. (original) Anchoring device (1) according to claim 7, characterized in that the socket (5) is screw-threaded so as to coact with the screw-threaded female socket (10) disposed within a hole in the wall (2).

9. (currently amended) Anchoring device (1) according to ~~one of claims 1 to 8~~ claim 1,

characterized in that the socket (5) is threaded within a hole in the wall (2) whose outlet, on the internal surface side of the wall, is delimited by an annular plate (12) forming the

internal surface of the wall against which one of the plates (3) of the device bears.

10. (original) Anchoring device (1) according to claim 9, characterized in that the annular plate (12) is provided with a throat and/or an annular shoulder serving for the reception of a toric joint (13) positioned about the socket (5) so as to obtain a device connected water-tightly to the wall (2).

11. (new) Anchoring device (1) according to claim 2, characterized in that the socket (5) and the plate (3) for application against the wall with which the socket (5) is connected, are made in a single piece.

12. (new) Anchoring device (1) according to claim 2, characterized in that it is provided, between the plates (3 and 4), with a supplemental plate (11), the flared fibers of the bundle of fibers extending over a surface of said intermediate plate before being pushed back against the other surface of said plate.

13. (new) Anchoring device (1) according to claim 3, characterized in that it is provided, between the plates (3 and 4), with a supplemental plate (11), the flared fibers of the bundle of fibers extending over a surface of said intermediate plate before being pushed back against the other surface of said plate.

14. (new) Anchoring device (1) according to claim 2, characterized in that the portion of the bundle (6) passing through the socket (5) is held within a sleeve (8), preferably thermo-shrinkable.

15. (new) Anchoring device (1) according to claim 3,
characterized in that the portion of the bundle (6) passing
through the socket (5) is held within a sleeve (8), preferably
thermo-shrinkable.

16. (new) Anchoring device (1) according to claim 4,
characterized in that the portion of the bundle (6) passing
through the socket (5) is held within a sleeve (8), preferably
thermo-shrinkable.

17. (new) Anchoring device (1) according to claim 2,
characterized in that the projecting portion (6B) of the
bundle (6) of fibers outside the socket (5) has the shape of a
loop.

18. (new) Anchoring device (1) according to claim 3,
characterized in that the projecting portion (6B) of the
bundle (6) of fibers outside the socket (5) has the shape of a
loop.

19. (new) Anchoring device (1) according to claim 4,
characterized in that the projecting portion (6B) of the
bundle (6) of fibers outside the socket (5) has the shape of a
loop.

20. (new) Anchoring device (1) according to claim 5,
characterized in that the projecting portion (6B) of the
bundle (6) of fibers outside the socket (5) has the shape of a
loop.